1	2	3	4
4.	3.23	Change in interest rates on deposits should be made applicable to the existing deposits also.	RBI is not in favour of this Recommendation being implemented for the time being.
5.	3.27	Term Deposits with banks may be given the tax benefit similar to the one given to those of National Savings Scheme, Equity Linked Scheme, Schemes of mutual funds, etc.	Since the incentives to other savings have been withdrawn, no further action is considered necessary.
6.	3.78	Abolition of Ctomer Service Centres.	Banks have been advised that unless all recommendations contained in the Goiporia Committee's Report to Strengthen the internal system are implemented the centres should be allowed to continue.
7.	3.79	Introduction of restricted holidays in banks	Since there was no unanimity of opinion among the various State Governments and some of the State Governments were reluctant to reduce the holidays, the recommendation was dropped from being implemented.
8.	3.90	Banks should arrange for pay telephones for the use of the customers in their large branches during the business hours.	It is observed that many banks are reluctant to implement this recommendation due to security risk involved. Even the Rajya Sabha Committee on Government Assurances under the Chairmanship of Dr. Bapu Kaldate was not in favour of the recommendation being implemented due to security risk involved.

[Translation]

Dumping of Items

2739. SHRI AMAR PAL SINGH : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the news item appearing in the 'Dainik Jagaran' dated July 7, 1996 under caption 'Videshi Vastuyon Ke Liye Dumping Ki Upyukt Jagah Ban Rahi Hai Bharat';

(b) if so, the details of items dumped by the foreign companies in the country, item-wise;

(c) whether the Government have taken any action in this regard to save the domestic industry; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI BOLLA BULLI RAMAIAH) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d). The Government investigates into allegations of dumping levelled by Indian producers. Anti dumping duties are levied in accordance with the prescribed rules where appropriate.

Details of anti dumping duties levied are shown in statement-I. Details of anti dumping investigations in progress are given in statement-II.

STATEMENT-I

Cases wherein anti dumping duty is in force

Product	Country	Duty Imposed	Duty Levied on
1	2	3	4
1. PVC Resin	Argentina	Nil Duty	18.1.94
	Brazil	Rs. 2036/MT	18.1.94
	Maxico	Rs. 1619/MT	18.1.94
	South Korea	Rs. 1253/MT	18.1.94
	U.S.A.	Rs. 504/MT	18.1.94

1	2	3	4
2. Bisphenol-A	Japan	Rs.7477/MT	11.3.94
3. Potassium Permanganate	China	Rs.5992/MT	5.9.95
4. Isobutyl Benezene	China	Rs.10634/MT	31.8.95
5. 3.4.5 Trimethoxy Benzaldehyde (TMBA)	China	Rs.237/kg.	20.10.95
6. Theophylline	China	Rs.108/Kg.	30.10.95
Caffiene	China	Rs.101/kg.	30.10.95
7. Acrylonitrile Butadiene Rubber	Japan	Rs.19306/MT	14.11.95
8. Bisphenol-A	Brazil	Rs.10263/MT	26.12.95
	Russia	Rs.12559/MT	26.12.95
9. Dead Burnt Magnesite (DBM)	China	Between Rs. 1333/MT to Rs.1925/MT	8.7.96

STATEMENT-II

Cases under investigation

Product	Country	Remarks
1. Dead Burnt Magnesite	China	Provisional Duty imposed on 8.7.96
2. Low Carbon Ferro Chrome (LCFC)	CIS (Russia, Kazakhistan Ukarine)	Provisional Duty recommended to Ministry of Finance
3. Sodium Ferrocyanide	China	
4. Bisphenol-A	U.S.A.	
5. Arcylonitrile Butadiene Rubber (NBR)	Germany Korea RP	
6. 8-Hydroxy-qunoline	China	

[English]

Supply of Janata Cloth

2740. DR. PRABIN CHANDRA SARMA : Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state :

(a) whether the supply of Janata Cloth to Assam during the last three years was inadequate as compared to the demand;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the demand made by Assam during the above period and the supply made thereof; and

(c) the concrete steps taken by the Government to supply adequate quantity of Janata Cloth to the needy people in Assam?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI R.L. JALAPPA): (a) to (c). The Central Government allocated yearwise targets for production of Janata Cloth to each state. Any State is free to demand additional quantity according to demand. The position of Janata Cloth production targets allocated and janata cloth delivered by various agencies of Assam as intimated by the Govt. of Assam during the last three years is as under :

In Million Sq. Mtrs.

Year	Target	Actual Delivery
1993-94	31.00	29.34
1994-95	27.00	25.90
1995-96	21.00	21.33

Government Securities

2741. SHRI SANAT KUMAR MANDAL : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Union Government propose to implement the next round of reforms to develop the market for Government securities;

(b) the broad features of the agenda being set for gilt market reforms; and

(c) how far it will make yields attractive and bring in new players and reduce the multiple price tendering, which is in vogue at present?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) Government and Reserve Bank of India aim at developing a deep and vibrant Government Securities market through various reform measures. These reform measures are of ongoing nature and are being properly sequenced.

(b) The broad features of this reform agenda, inter alia, include market related borrowing through auctions, introduction of innovations in instruments to cater to diversified needs of the market, activating both primary and secondary markets through institutional development and establishing an efficient transfer, payment and settlement system.

(c) The reforms agenda when fully carried out is likely to bring into the market new players particularly from non-traditional groups, bring flexibility in the yields making them responsive to market conditions and expectations and improve the market absorption of Government Securities.